

Announcements - September 13, 2009

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INVITING PEOPLE TO CONNECT WITH GOD

Welcome to Hope Church! If you are a guest this morning, please notice the staff and lay leaders wearing identification badges. They will be able to assist you with any concerns. For the hearing impaired: place your hearing aids on the "T" switch for direct audio input during the service. Join us this morning in the lounge between services for fellowship and refreshments.

· During worship today, please make sure that cell phones and pagers are in their silent mode or turned off.

WELCOME, UT STUDENTS! Thanks for choosing to worship with us today. We are honored to be your church "home away from home" this school year. Be sure to fill out the yellow "College Students" information sheet in the blue pew book.

HOPE COLLEGE STUDENTS, we need your address too! Please fill out the "College Students" sheet as well. If you don't know your address yet, be sure to let us know when you do!

ENCOURAGING PEOPLE TO CONNECT WITH EACH OTHER

Servants Needed

DIRTY DOZEN

We need willing hands to help weed and trim the areas around the church property Saturday, Sept 19 working from 8 am to noon. Bring tools and gloves and stop by that morning to lend a hand.

COOKIE DONORS

We all enjoy the refreshments provided between services. We need people to provide 4 dozen cookies on a given Sunday. Sign up sheet is on the refreshment table.

SMALL GROUP sign-ups will be held today and next Sunday in the family lounge. Join us for refreshments as we celebrate ten years of Small Group Ministry at Hope. There are many opportunities available—we hope you will consider joining a group this fall.

IT'S CONFIRMATION TIME AGAIN! Students going into grades seven and eight are invited to join us Wednesday evenings from 6-7:30 in Larson Hall for a meal, conversation and faith formation. First class is Sept. 16. Contact Pastor Laura for info.

HOPE SENIOR HIGH & FRIENDS The Senior High Fall Frisbee Fling will be held at Wildwood Metro Park, Trailside Shelter, on Sunday, September 20 from 12:30 to 3:00 pm. Join us for food, Frisbee, worship and conversation about the year ahead! Contact Pastor Laura for more information.

EQUIPPING PEOPLE TO LIVE THE GOD LIFE

UPCOMING PREACHING SCHEDULE

Today	Pastor Andrea preaching
Sept. 20	Pastor Andrea preaching
Sept. 27	Pastor Tom preaching

ON SUNDAY MORNINGS, you will notice either Pastor Andrea, Pastor Tom, or Pastor Laura out in the congregation, while the other two are leading worship. They are taking turns sitting in the congregation each week to be available for pastoral care. Feel free to approach them if you have a specific need or concern.

HEALING SERVICE will be held on Sunday, Oct. 4 at 4:00 pm. Following the service, the Mental Health Ministry Team at Hope invites everyone to join them for a light supper and movie. "The Soloist" is an award winning movie about a homeless musician living with Schizophrenia.

LUNCHES WITH LUTHER - There will NOT be Lunches with Luther on Tuesday, Sept. 15—Election Day. Hope to see you on Sept. 22! All are invited to come on Tuesdays for lunch at noon (\$3) followed by an interesting study led by Pastor Andrea.

PARENTS—Ever Feel Like You Need a Little Help? Hope is offering a series of parenting classes tonight and Sundays, Sept. 20 and 27th, 6-7:30 pm. Childcare will be provided. Sign up sheet is on the table outside the lounge.

LIFE IN CHRIST, our new member class will be held on Sundays, Oct. 11, 18, 25, and Nov. 1 and 8 from 6:30 to 8 pm. Child care provided. This class is for all interested in joining Hope Church including those wishing to transfer from other congregations. Members will be received on Sunday, Nov. 15. Please talk to one of the pastors or call the church office, 419-536-8383 to confirm your attendance.

HOCKEY PRAYER PARTNERS NEEDED: Pastor Tom is planning to serve as team chaplain for the Toledo Walleye hockey team this season. If you would commit to try to pray daily for Tom and this outreach ministry, sign up on the sheet located on the table outside the lounge.

WALK THRU THE NEW TESTAMENT! On Saturday, October 10th, Hope will host a Walk Thru the New Testament Seminar. Registration forms are available on the hallway table with the sign up sheet.

HOPE MISSION TEAM is planning another trip to Orange, Texas, from Nov. 5 through Nov. 15. If you are interested in participating in this mission trip, call Fred Bretzloff at 419-531-4640 or 419-704-5999. Deadline date is October 19.

→ Please notify the church office when you or a family member is hospitalized. (419-536-8383)

CONFIRMATION STUDENTS to be prayed for this week: Molly Henry, Sarah Klepzig, Casey Miller and Alex Mitchell

ALTAR FLOWERS have been given to the Glory of God by Irene Wolff in honor of her children and grandchildren and by Christine and Dennis Keller in celebration of their first grandchild, Owen William Keller of Missouri City, TX. The pink rose on the altar is in honor of the birth of Dean and Judy Meinke's granddaughter, Brynn Elizabeth born on Sept. 9.

WE WELCOME into the family of Hope through the sacrament of Baptism, James Anthony Feudi, son of Joe and Jill Feudi. May God's blessing be with James and his family today and every day.

SCHEDULE

THIS WEEK AT HOPE - SEPT. 13 - SEPT. 19

- TODAY** 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 Worship Services
 9:30am Disciples in Training & SS
 6:00pm Parenting Class in Larson Hall
 7:00pm CRHP Men in Lounge
- MON** 1:00pm John Bible Study at Woodlands
 4:30pm UT Student Dinner in Larson Hall
 6:30pm Management Team in Library
 7:00pm John Study at Kalb's
 7:30pm Alanon in Nursery
- TUES** 8:30pm A.A. in Larson Hall
 9:30am John Study at Café Marie
- WED** 5:15pm Chime Choir in Choir Room
 6:00pm Children's Choir in Choir Room
 6:00pm Confirmation Class in Larson Hall
 7:00pm Chancel Choir in Choir Room
 8:00pm Handbell Choir in Sanctuary
 8:15pm Yoga Class in Nursery
- THURS** 7:00am Thursday Morning Study in Lounge
 9:30 am Women's Study in S Lounge
 6:30pm CRHP Women in Lounge
- FRI** 8:00pm AA in Larson Hall
- SAT** 8:00am Dirty Dozen working outside
 9:00am Bethlehem Team in Lounge
 10:00am Praise Team in Sanctuary
 4:00pm Serving at Cherry St. Mission

OPEN HOUSE and Service celebrating the ministry of Pastor Mary Lou Baumgartner will be held Friday, Sept. 25 at Salem Lutheran Church at 6:30 pm and the service at 7:30 pm. All are welcome. For info, call 419.243.2345 /email salem.lutheran@sbcglobal.net.

HEALTH FAIR will be held at Hope on March 20, 2010. A planning meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Oct. 13, (date changed) for those wishing to help.

SERVICES LIVE ON INTERNET! Live streaming of our 9:30 service on Sunday morning is available on our web site: www.hopetoledo.net. Click "Listen Live". If you are unable to attend church on any given Sunday, you can listen to the service "live" in its entirety. To listen to any sermon on the website, click "Sunday Sermons."

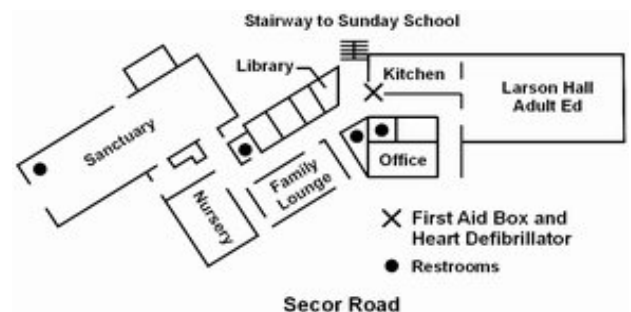
MINISTRY

TODAY'S MINISTERS

PROCLAIMERS	8:00	Don Mulligan
OF THE WORD	11:00	Phil Meuser
ACOLYTE/CRUCIFER	8:00	Emily Bretzloff-Rohrs
	11:00	Casey Miller
WELCOME TEAMS	8:00	John Cupp and Scott Elston
	9:30	Dick and Patsy Camp
		Jack and Sarah Puffenberger
	11:00	Joy Gibbs, Chris Rowe,
		Marjorie Prueter, Lore Schueler

HOPE'S MINISTRY TEAM

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Custodian	Steve Bowerize
Weekend Custodian.....	Lyndon Lee



CHILD CARE for preschool children is provided during the 9:30 and 11:00 worship services. The Nursery is located outside the Sanctuary.

RECYCLE bagged inkjet cartridges with proceeds benefiting the Romanian orphanage. Container is inside the kitchen. Cancelled postage stamps are collected in the church office to benefit Heifer International. Yoplait offers 10¢ per gold lid (clean) for the Feed America program. Collection box is outside the Lounge.

FLU SEASON is almost here! The nation is preparing for a major flu season. If you feel ill, stay home to avoid contact with others. Upon arriving and leaving the Church, use the Purell Sanitizers located around the building. Check with your physician to see if you should have the flu vaccination, especially the H1N1 vaccine.